



Edgewater Shorelines

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The Official Newsletter for
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Make sure to check out the website for the upcoming Public Meetings, Events, Refuse & Recycling Holiday Schedules, Job Openings, Flood Insurance information and much more!

**CHANGE YOUR CLOCK
CHANGE YOUR BATTERY**



It's time to spring forward your clock. On Sunday, March 13, we will be moving our clocks forward one hour. As a reminder, when you change your clock, change your batteries in your smoke alarms. This simple act could save you and your family!

GO FOR PARKS
General Obligation Bond For Proposed Park Improvements

Splash Park

- ✓ SPLASH PARK
- ✓ SKATE PARK
- ✓ SHADED PLAYGROUND
- ✓ SENIOR FITNESS AREA
- ✓ WALKING TRAIL
- ✓ NEW PAVILIONS
- ✓ ALL INCLUSIVE DESIGN

VOTE FOR PARKS
on the Ballot March 15, 2016

Playground

Skate Park

www.edgewaterfl.gov/go-for-parks

Proposed White Stag Park Plan

Edgewater Riverfest *March 19, 2016*
Business Expo

RIVERSIDE DRIVE EDGEWATER
A COMMUNITY EVENT
Sponsored by Edgewater Expo, Inc. and the City of Edgewater
March 19, 2016
from 10am to 4pm

FREE ADMISSION!

Entertainment

- Classic Car Show featuring East Coast Cruisers and DJ Weasel 10am - 2pm
- Kids Zone 10am - 4pm
- Static Displays 10am - 4pm
- Beer Garden 12pm - 4pm
- Food Court 10am - 4pm
- Marine Discovery Center 10am - 4pm
- Helicopter Tours of the Area 10am - 4pm
- Business Expo 10am - 4pm

More info
www.EdgewaterExpo.com
www.facebook.com/EdgewaterRiverfest

Community Sponsors

ADVANCED
Heat Pump Specialists
AIR-HEAT

BERT FISH
MEDICAL CENTER

For information on Sponsorship and Vendor Spaces go to
www.EdgewaterExpo.com

Flood Facts

When the new year rolls around everyone seems to think about being organized/prepared. It's never too early to be prepared for Hurricanes/Tropical Storms. They can bring above average rain fall in a very short period of time to cause flooding problems. So be prepared and put your home on the priority list for 2016.

- ⇒ Everyone lives in a flood zone.-it's just a question of whether you live in a low, moderate, or high risk area.
- ⇒ Most homeowner's insurance policies do not cover flood damage.
- ⇒ Just a few inches of water from a flood can cause tens of thousands of dollars in damage.
- ⇒ A car can easily be carried away by just two feet of floodwater.
- ⇒ Hurricanes, winter storms and snowmelt are common (but often overlooked) causes of flooding.
- ⇒ You are eligible to purchase flood insurance as long as your community participates in the National Flood insurance Program, Edgewater participates.
- ⇒ In most cases, it takes 30 days after purchase for a policy to take effect, so it's important to buy insurance before the storm approaches and the floodwaters start to rise.
- ⇒ Even though flood insurance isn't federally required, anyone can be financially vulnerable to floods. In fact, people outside of mapped high-risk flood areas file nearly 25% of all National Flood Insurance Program flood insurance claims and receive one-third of Federal Disaster Assistance for flooding.
- ⇒ Edgewater participates in the Community Rating System (CRS) and residents can qualify for an insurance premium discount.

These facts and much more information about floods and flood insurance can be found at www.floodsmart.gov.

**City of Edgewater
Fire Rescue Department**

CPR CLASS DATES

HEALTHCARE PROVIDER	APRIL 13, 2016
HEALTHCARE PROVIDER	JULY 13, 2016
HEALTHCARE PROVIDER	OCTOBER 12, 2016

Pre-registration is required for all classes. Registration can be done at Station 55 (1605 South Ridgewood Avenue) Monday-Friday from 8:00 AM until 4:30 PM. Exact change or checks are accepted. The cost of all classes includes a book and an American Heart Association card.

COST:
HEALTHCARE PROVIDER: \$40.00

For Information call Shontella at 386-424-2400 extension # 2202

Class location is at the Fire Rescue Association Hall
2616 Hibiscus Drive, Edgewater, FL 32141



POSTER CONTEST

City of Edgewater Department of Environmental Services-Utilities cordially invites students to participate in our "Drop Savers" poster contest. Students in grades K-12 are encouraged to create a poster depicting a water conservation idea, in slogan form, drawing form or both. Poster rules and poster form can be printed from the Water Conservation page on the City website.

DEADLINE is MARCH 4th.

For further information please contact Tyna Lynn Hilton, Environmental Services, 424-2400 x 4006 or email at Thilton@CityofEdgewater.org.

EDGEfest

**EGGTRAVAGANZA
Easter Egg Hunt**

03.26.16

Save The Date



ARE YOU A RESPONSIBLE PET OWNER?

Do you pick up your pet waste? Remember cleaning up pet waste is a great way to be a responsible pet owner. Cleaning up pet waste is good for your health, environment and required by City Code! Seriously, when it rains pet waste left on the ground, gets washed into storm drains and stormwater drainage ditches which flow to our local waterways...without being treated! YUCK! Bacteria, parasites, and viruses found in pet waste can be harmful to water quality and human health. So not only is picking up after your pet being responsible and neighborly, it's the healthy thing to do for you and the environment! Remember to clean up pet waste in your own yard as well!

What YOU Can Do

How can you get rid of pet waste and help keep our waterways clean?

*Scoop it up in an eco friendly bag and dispose in garbage.

*Scoop it up and dispose in your toilet unbagged-this option sends it to the wastewater treatment plant to be treated.

If you have any questions please contact
Department of Environmental Services at
(386) 424-2400 ext 4006

Watering Restrictions *Daylight Savings Time* Effective March 13, 2016-November 6th

Mandatory lawn watering restrictions specify the days when you may water. These days depend on whether you have an odd or even numbered address, and the time of year. The following restrictions apply to private well and potable water (city water). Reclaimed water restrictions are listed in the purple box to the right.

WATERING DAYS:

Homes with odd numbered addresses:
WEDNESDAY & SATURDAY

Homes with even numbered addresses:
THURSDAY & SUNDAY

Nonresidential Properties:
TUESDAY & FRIDAY

Only water when needed and not between
10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Water no more than one hour per zone.

Reclaimed Water Restrictions Year Round

ATTENTION
RECLAIMED WATER
USERS

**RECLAIMED
WATERING
RESTRICTIONS
HAVE BEEN LIFTED
UNTIL FURTHER
NOTICE**

Please refrain voluntarily
from using it between the
hours of 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
year round.

Reclaimed water is not
available to all Edgewater
residents-Limited service
area. Connection fee is
\$650.00/monthly minimum
rate is \$9.50 for usage up to
25,000 gallons.

REFUSE

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE 2016

The following information should be saved for future use.

If you should have any questions about the schedule please feel free to contact the Department of Environmental Services, Sanitation Division at (386) 424-2400 x 4007.

****HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE HOLIDAY SCHEDULE****

HOLIDAYS OBSERVED ARE AS FOLLOWS:	<u>HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE</u> If regular days are MONDAY & THURSDAY Pickups will be made on:	<u>HOUSEHOLD GARBAGE</u> If regular days are TUESDAY & FRIDAY Pickups will be made on:
New Years Day Friday, January 1 st	Monday & Wednesday	Tuesday & Thursday
Martin Luther King Day Monday, January 18 th	Tuesday & Thursday	Wednesday & Friday
President's Day Monday, February 15 th	Tuesday & Thursday	Wednesday & Friday
Memorial Day Monday, May 30 th	Tuesday & Thursday	Wednesday & Friday
Independence Day Monday, July 4 th	Tuesday & Thursday	Wednesday & Friday
Labor Day Monday, September 5 th	Tuesday & Thursday	Wednesday & Friday
Thanksgiving Day and Day After Thursday & Friday November 24 th & November 25 th	Monday Only	Tuesday Only
Christmas Day Observed on Monday, December 26 th	Tuesday & Thursday	Wednesday & Friday

ALL REFUSE MUST BE AT CURBSIDE BY 7:00AM.

Yard Trash/Brush loose laying pile of 4'x4'x4' should be set at curbside, IN FRONT OF YOUR HOME, for approximately twice a month pickup, the trash routes are completed anywhere from a few days to few weeks. **All trash/brush debris generated by a contractor must be disposed of by the contractor.**

All leaves, pine needles, etc. must be bagged or contained for Wednesday pickup.
There will be **NO** pickup of **bagged grass, leaves, pine needles, etc.** on **holiday weeks** exception of Thanksgiving Holiday week.

RECYCLING

HOLIDAY SCHEDULE 2016

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****HOUSEHOLD RECYCLING HOLIDAY SCHEDULE****

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